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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SCUL, GE
SUBJECT: SILBERMANN PIPE ORGANS IN GDR

REF: STATE 233997-U

1. REPEATED REPRESENTATION TO GDR MFA AND GDR TRAVEL BUREAU WAS UNSUCCESSFUL IN GAINING WAIVER FOR RILEYS OF RESTRICTION ON IMPORTING TAPE RECORDER AND TAPING OF SILBERMANN ORGANS.

2. ON DAY BEFORE RILEYS WERE DUE TO LEAVE PRAGUE FORDRESDEN, THE EMBASSY FINALLY GOT A DEFINITIVE ANSWER FROM THE GDR TRAVEL BUREAU AND ADVISED THE RILEYS BY TELEPHONE THROUGH PRESS AND CULTURAL SECTION PRAGUE THAT THEIR REQUEST COULD NOT BE MET. ALL THE GDR TRAVEL BUREAU CAME UP WITH WAS THE IDENTIFICATION OF TWO ETERNA RECORDS OF BACK ORGAN WORKS PLAYED ON SILBERMANN ORGANS WHICH COULD BE PURCHASED IN GDR MUSIC STORES. COOPER

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